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# UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

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Attorney Docket No.	7639-C
First Inventor or Application Identifier	Steven H. Petrofsky
Title	COMPUTER CONTROLLED HYDRAULIC RESISTANCE DEVICE FOR A PROSTHESIS AND OTHER APPARA
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**APPLICATION ELEMENTS**  
 See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.

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(preferred arrangement set forth below)
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  - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D
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  - Background of the Invention
  - Brief Summary of the Invention
  - Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
  - Detailed Description
  - Claim(s)
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- ☐ Microfiche Computer Program (Appendix)
- Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (if applicable, all necessary)
  - ☐ Computer Readable Copy
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  - ☐ Statement verifying identity of above copies

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- ☒ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
- ☐ 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b) Statement (when there is an assignee) ☐ Power of Attorney
- ☐ English Translation Document (if applicable)
- ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 ☐ Copies of IDS Citations
- ☐ Preliminary Amendment
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Enclosed is a patent application identified as follows:

Inventor(s) : Steven H. Petrofsky & William G. Gruesbeck  
Title : COMPUTER CONTROLLED HYDRAULIC RESISTANCE  
DEVICE FOR A PROSTHESIS AND OTHER APPARATUS  
Docket No. : 7639-C  
Related Application : 08/883,614  
Specification : 39 pages (including 17 claims) and an  
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Assignee : Mauch, Inc.  
Suggested Class : Class 623, Subclass 24

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